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Applicants: Vincent Auffray **Serial No.:** 10/016982

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REFUND REQUEST

Sir:

We hereby request a refund for the Notice of Appeal filed 6/26/08 for the above referenced case. The necessary Notice of Appeal was previously filed on 3/27/08, rendering the second appeal superfluous. Therefore, please credit the filing fee of 510.00 to:

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Should the Examiner require anything further please feel free to contact Applicant's undersigned representative at the number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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